IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.RAMKUMAR

WEDNESDAY, THE 13TH JUNE 2007 / 23RD JYAISHTA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 3446 of 2007()

CRIME NO.266/07 OF VIYYUR POLICE STATION

: PETITIONER/ACCUSED

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1. LATHA, W/O.PRADEEP, KANJANGAT HOUSE, P.O.PERAMANGALAM, THRISSUR.

2. LEKHA, D/O.GOVINDANKUTTY, KANJANGAT HOUSE, P.O.PERAMANGALAM, THRISSUR.

BY ADV. SRI.RAJIT
SRI.RANJIT BABU

RESPONDENTS: STATE

STATE OF KERALA, REPRESENTED BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.P.N.SUKUMARAN

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 13/06/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

V. RAMKUMAR, J.

B.A. No. 3446 OF 2007 A

Dated this the 13th day of June, 2007

O R D E R

Petitioners, who are two ladies and sisters of the 1st accused Prasanna Kumar, seek anticipatory bail. The petitioners are accused Nos.2 and 3 in Crime No.266/2007 of Viyyur Police Station for offences punishable under sections 498A and 306 read with section 34 IPC.

2. The marriage between the petitioners' brother Prasanna Kumar and Divya was on 25.3.2007. On 28.5.2007 Divya committed suicide by hanging in the matrimonial home.

3. Having regard to the allegations made against the petitioners and the other facts and circumstances of the case, I am not inclined to grant anticipatory bail to the petitioners. It shall be open to the Investigating Officer to interrogate the petitioners in terms of the proviso to sec.160(1) Cr.P.C. after notice to the petitioners. After interrogation, they shall be produced before the Magistrate having jurisdiction on the same day. The Magistrate shall release the petitioners on bail on appropriate conditions including one that they will not commit any offence while on bail.

This application is disposed of as above.

(V. RAMKUMAR, JUDGE)

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